wrestling, Kabbadi and other rural games in the State of Punjab during the years 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07 and 2007-08 so far, NGO-wise and year-wise;

(b) whether the performance of these NGOs has been monitored, if so, the result thereof and whether they have submitted their utilization certificates for the funds used; and

(c) the details of action taken against the concerned NGOs in the event of their failure to submit utilisation certificates?

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR): (a) to (c) The Ministry does not engage any NGOs in the promotion of hockey, football, wrestling, kabaddi and other rural games. Earlier, State Government swere given financial assistance for the creation of sports infrastructure but this Scheme was discontinued w.e.f. 01.04.2005. Rural Sports competitions/tournaments are organized at Block and District level with the assistance of State/UT Governments. The Grant-in-Aid is placed at the disposal of the Sports Authority of India for allocation to State/UT Governments for organizing district-level sports competitions.

Encouraging sports at Panchayat level

1939. SHRI T.T.V. DHINAKARAN: Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether is it proposed to encourage sports at Panchayat level;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Government propose to launch a Nation-wide rural sports infrastructure scheme, the Panchayat Yuva Khel Aur Krida Abhiyan (PYKKA), which aims at providing basic sports facilities at the Village Panchayat level and promoting appropriate training and competition strucutres at the Village Panchayat, block and district level for the promotion of sports in rural areas. The Planning Commission have accorded 'in principle' approval to this scheme and communicated a tentative allocation of Rs. 1500 crore for the Eleventh Five Year Plan.

(c) Does not arise.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA (Jharkhand): Sir, I want to raise breach of privilege against the Prime Minister. ...*(Interruptions)*...

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (PROF. P.J. KURIEN): Papers to be laid. Shri S. Jaipal Reddy. ...*(Interruptions)*... Please allow Papers to be laid, please. ...*(Interruptions)*... Papers to be laid on the Table. Shri Jaipal Reddy. ...*(Interruptions)*... Please sit down. ...*(Interruptions)*... Please take your seats ...*(Interruptions)*... You had been Minister. Please allow this. ...*(Interruptions)*... After the Papers have been laid, I will listen to you. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA: Sir, he has spoken an untruth on record in this House and I have filed a breach of privilege notice against him. I want to raise it against him. Sir, please permit me to raise this. ...*(Interruptions)*...